

About our Sessions:

Fantastic Ones: A six week programme supporting children between 1-2 years with their development through songs, stories plus age and stage appropriate play activities.

Fantastic Twos: A programme aimed at easing the transition from home to nursery, for children eligible for 2 year old funding but not yet attending a setting.

Baby Massage: A wonderful opportunity for you to learn how to communicate with your baby through nurturing touch and massage in a relaxed and welcoming environment. Priority will be given to those babies who may need it the most.

Wandsworth Music: Providing early years music sessions for 0-5 year olds

Stay, Play & Learn: Our sessions provide you with opportunities to play together with your child in a stimulating environment, supporting your child's learning and development.

Enhanced Stay, Play & Learn: for children with emerging needs, SEND, or find larger groups more difficult, we will provide you with opportunities to play together with your child in a supportive & stimulating environment to help your child's learning and developmental needs.

Stay, Play & Learn Under Ones: This group is for children 0-12 months old and their mums, dads/*main carers. Supporting development through play activities.

Health for Life Mums (H4L) This group is for mums of children aged 0-2 years, supporting nutrition, movement and healthy lifestyles.

Health for Life Minis This group is for parents and children aged 2 years and over supporting nutrition, movement and healthy lifestyles.

E: cicht.0-19wandsworthandrichmondadmin@nhs.net

Rackets Cubed Community Box: Social supermarket supporting residents of Battersea for a £4 donation you can come and shop for free. Book your slot here : <https://racketscubed.com/community-box/>

Connected Lives—Circle of Security 8 week parenting group supporting parents to create a stronger bond with children. Book here: www.connectedlives.org.uk/parenting-battersea

Baby Box Scheme— Supporting babies in Wandsworth to have the best start in life. Available through the borough's Access for All initiative to reach even more families. Please ask a member of staff for details.

Healthy Start Vitamin collection: (for eligible families)

Pick up free vitamins for yourself and your child from York Gardens children's centre, or Yvonne Carr Family Hub - just show your card to a staff member. Apply here: www.healthystart.nhs.uk/how-to-apply

Talk Shop Advice Clinic (children under 30 months and registered with a Wandsworth GP): If you have any concern about your child's Speech and Language development, please see the dates overleaf where you can meet and have a chat with a Speech and Language therapist.

PMHS (Parents Mental Health Service):

Supporting families experiencing challenges with mental health.

Power to Connect: Supporting families to access IT and computer skills To book your place, please contact Megan from Power to Connect on 07934553192 www.powertoconnect.co.uk

Fortnightly online child development workshops on Monday afternoons for parents—see poster in centres
email:Hannah.Skaife@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk

Development Reviews – By appointment only
Health visiting contact details: 0330 0581 679

Yvonne Carr	Tuesday	9:30am – 4:00pm
	Thursday	9:30am – 12:30pm
York Gardens	Monday	9:30am – 12:30pm
	Friday	9:30am – 4:00pm

Breastfeeding Support Group (Drop in): An opportunity to talk to your local health visitors about breastfeeding, getting handy tips and information.

FAST Youth Club www.fastlondon.co.uk run services for young people at Yvonne Carr Family Hub.
See timetable for sessions.
To book email : shae.clarke@fastlondon.co.uk

Wandsworth Family Information Service [https://fis.wandsworth.gov.uk](http://fis.wandsworth.gov.uk)



Search > children's centres or Family Hubs for more information, or scan →

If you have any immediate concerns about a child, contact MASH Wandsworth Telephone: 020 8871 7899 Telephone outside of normal office hours (after 5pm weekdays or on weekends): 020 8871 6000 email: mash@wandsworth.gov.uk

Please note: Information is correct at the time of printing. A separate timetable will be published for our offer over May Half Term

Battersea

Family Hub & Best Start in Life Offer

The Family Hub and Best Start in Life Programme

Family Hubs are part of a National Programme which brings together many different services to support families from pregnancy to 19 years—or 25 years with SEND - in one place; making it easier for families to get the help they need at the right time. The children's centre offer for under 5s is known as Best Start in Life

From
5th January
to
27th March 2026



Contact us for information or to reserve your space on: 020 8871 8585 or

Email: Batterseaccs@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk

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Battersea Cluster Family Hub and Start for Life Offer from 5th January to 27th March 2026 **Pre-booking required for some sessions

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
York Gardens Children's Centre Lavender Road SW11 2UG	Baby Massage 0-6months **Pre Booked 4-Week Course 10.00am -11.00am Please book with a member of staff Starts 19th January Development Reviews 9.30am-12.00pm Pre Booked Appointments	Fantastic 2's 9.30am – 10.45am **Booking required Starts 13th January	Stay, Play and Learn 9.30am – 10.45am 0-4 years Starts 7th January	Well Baby Clinic 9.30am – 11.30am <u>Please arrive by 11.15am to be seen</u>	Stay, Play and Learn Under 1's 10.00am – 11.15am Starts 9th January York Gardens Library Baby Rhyme Time 11.30am-12.00noon 0-2years
	Breastfeeding Support Group Drop in 1.30pm – 3.00pm	Stay, Play and Learn 1.30pm—2.45pm 0-4years Starts 7th January	Falconbrook School Stay, Play and Learn 1.30pm – 3.00pm York Gardens Library: Lego Club 3.45pm-5.00pm Craft Club 4.00pm -5.15pm	 Battersea Children's Centres  Call us on: 020 8871 8585  Email us at: Batterseaccs@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk	Development Reviews 9.30am—4.00pm Pre Booked Appointments Story Time at York Gardens Library 3.45pm-4.45pm Under 5s
Yvonne Carr Family Hub 2 Thessaly Road, SW8 4HT	Perinatal Support Sessions **By Referral Well Baby Clinic 9.30am – 11.30am <u>Please arrive by 11.15am to be seen</u> Stay, Play and Learn Under 1's 10.00am – 11.15am Starts 8th September	Development Reviews 9.30am - 4.00pm Pre Booked Appointments Learn 2 Love 2 Read 4-Week Course 11.00am -11.45am Please book with a member of staff Starts 20th January	Fantastic 2's 9.30am - 10.45am **Booking required Starts 14th January Learn to Love to Read 4 week course 10.50-11.30am 12 Nov-3rd Dec please book online	Enhanced Stay, Play and Learn **By Referral 10.00am - 11.15am Thumbs Up Thursdays with Wandsworth Music 10 weeks **Booking required 2-4years 9.15am - 10am 0-23m 10am – 10.45am 15th January—19th March (except half term)	Fantastic 1's 10.00am - 11.15am **Booking required Starts 16th January Development Reviews 9.30am -12 .00pm Pre Booked Appointments SLT Communication and Language Group pre-booked SLT sessions 9th & 30th January Youth Bus: Clapham Junction, Beauchamp Road 3.30pm -7.30pm
	Talk Shop Speech & Language advice for children under 30m 9.30-11.00am (please book) 12th Jan 2nd Feb & 2nd March	Coming soon... Mini Chefs	Baby Massage 0-6months **Pre Booked 4-Week Course 10.00am -11.00am from 5th Nov Please book with a member of staff	Connected Lives — Circle of Security 8 week Parenting Group Starts 29th January—26th March (except half term) **booking required	 Stay, Play and Learn 1.30pm—2.45pm 0-4years Educational Psychologist Drop in 1.30pm-2.45pm dates tbc FAST 10-18s @Powerleague 4-6pm
	Place2Be 9.00am-5.00pm Pre-booked appointments Lego Club 6-10 years 3.45pm - 4.45pm **Booking required From 13th January	Immunisation Clinic 9.30am -3.30pm Pre-Booked Appointments Housing Advice Every fortnight from 7th January 1.00pm-4.00pm Please book with a staff member FAST Youth Club 10-12years 4.00pm-6.00pm	Parental Mental Health Service (PMHS) **By Referral 12.30pm – 3.00pm FAST MMA session 4.30-5.30pm + FAST Youth Club 13-16 years 4.00pm -6.00pm	Power 2 Connect Online Safety Course for Parents 6th—27th March 10am - 12pm **booking required Battersea Community Box 12.00pm-3.00pm Book Online > see reverse page	

Start for Life sessions are for mums, dads and *main carers with children aged 0-4 years old.

*Carers are defined as family members related to the child attending the sessions, Includes Looked After Children's foster carers.